

\* Linear Congruential Generator (LCG), which is a classic PRNG define by the recurrence,

$$X_{n+1} = (aX_n + c) \bmod m$$

where,

$X$  is the sequence of pseudorandom numbers.

$a, c$  and  $m$  are constant

$X_0$  is the seed.

we will choose parameters known to produce good result.

$$a = 1664525$$

$$c = 1013904223$$

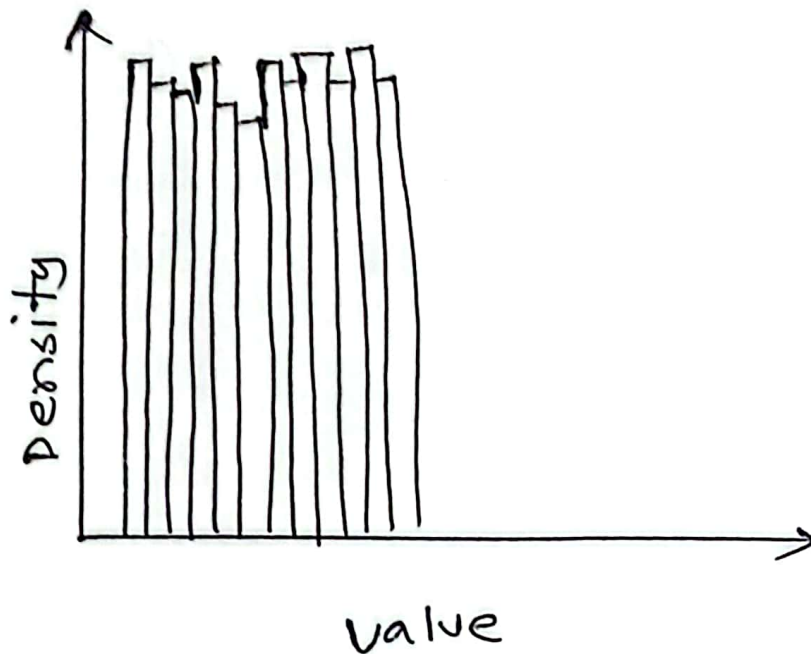
$$m = 2^{32}$$

$$\text{Seed } X_0 = 42.$$

we will normalize the output  $[0, 1)$  by dividing by  $m$ .

we will,

1. Generate 10,000 random numbers.
2. plot the histogram for uniformity.
3. plot a lag plot ( $X$  vs  $X+1$ ) to check for dependency.



Interpretation of Result:

Histogram:

The values are spread relatively evenly across the range.

- This suggests good uniformity, which is essential for a PRNG.